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Over 2,000 Democratic Precinct Election Boards, and a solid Democratic State Election Board—every one the creation of Mr. Goebel or his agents—certified to the following vote cast at the election in Kentucky on Tuesday, November 7th, 1900:

William S. Taylor.....192,714
William Goebel.....191,341
Taylor's Plurality.....2,373

The Goebel Law is the most fitting monument that GOEBEL could have.

If our friends the Chinese aren't a bit careful, the Powers, Uncle Sam & Co. will make it "belly hot" for them.

The little thing of not knowing who Mr. TAYLOR is necessary to not know either the Kentucky conspirators while the bribery fund holds out.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Avast! Brother. Don't you know that TOMSONDRE has settled that matter beyond peradventure? Hasn't he already named and eaged five men who filed the bill that killed GOEBEL, and in addition to these, doesn't he say it was either one of the other or which of them—or some other unknown son-of-a-gun who did the job with his little pop loaded with a leaden or steel ball or a codfish ball, et cetera and so forth.

The most effective remedy for illegal trade combinations is publicity. The officers and Directors of the Lee-Tamney Trust are being summoned to show why they should not be proceeded against criminally on the charge of conspiracy. They are accused of restraining and preventing competition. There is no tariff on ice, therefore it cannot be an offspring of Protection. Its parentage has been traced directly to Tammany Hall, which is robbing the poor of New York and depriving the people here of a summer necessity. The profits and hopes of the Tammany Trust are melting under the searchlight of publicity.

The Washington Post, in an able editorial, contrasts the surplus of almost three hundred million dollars in the United States Treasury at the present time with the balance four years ago, which was the result of bond issues in a time of peace. It also shows that notwithstanding the heavy war expenses that have been and are being incurred, the surplus for this fiscal year will amount to about \$65,000,000 as compared with the deficit of nearly \$80,000,000 four years ago. It is pointed out that this is not the result of the war taxes alone, because, comparing the month of May this year with May, 1899, there was an increase of almost \$6,500,000 this year in receipts from customs alone.

HARPER'S WEEKLY, an influential independent journal, makes the following comment on Governor TAYLOR's retirement from the contest for Governor:

"Mr. W. S. TAYLOR, lately Governor of Kentucky, is reported to be much broken in health as the result of his experiences since his election. He seems fairly entitled to a large measure of public sympathy. Beyond question he was elected Governor of Kentucky. He assumed the office and held it until the Courts decided that under the iniquitous Goebel Law the Democratic Legislature had no right to confer the office upon his rival. Then, submitting to the Court's decree, he abdicated, and left the state to avoid arrest and trial for usurpation, the murder of GOEBEL, or any other charge his Democratic opponents might find it expedient to bring against him. He has said that he dared not take the chance of getting justice from the Kentucky Courts, and his reluctance to face them seems reasonable. Meanwhile, for the time being, he is in exile from his home, broken in health, impoverished and distressed, a victim of political rascality with which he could not contend except by stirring up civil war. He has done well to accept the decision of the Courts and retire, but in due time and somehow republican government in Kentucky must be restored, and the will of the people must rule again."

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KENTUCKY FLASHES.

MYSTERIOUS LETTER.

A Man at Ft. Worth, Tex. Says That He is the Man Who Killed William Goebel.

Frankfort, Ky., June 19.—William C. Culton, who is in jail under indictment as an accessory to the murder of Wm. Goebel, has received an anonymous letter, postmarked Ft. Worth, Tex., in which the writer says: "I am sorry you are in trouble. I killed Goebel. He knew I would do it. Ten minutes after the shooting I watched the crowd in the state house yard from the Port Hill. I went to Georgetown and took a train, landing at Cincinnati next day. At Kansas City I got scared and went to Oklahoma before coming here. I am on a ranch out here, and those who know me in Kentucky would not know me in Oklahoma."

Culton says ordinarily he would regard it as the work of a crank, but the style of the letter, the good penmanship, etc., make it a mystery. He has turned the letter over to his counsel.

SHOT SEVEN TIMES.

Went Cretell Fatally Wounded in a Saloon Near at Middleboro, Ky.

Middleboro, Ky., June 19.—Mend Cretell was shot seven times here yesterday evening in a saloon room and fatally wounded. The trouble took place between Cretell and another man, Cretell's dying statement he claimed that Ball shot him. It is claimed that Cretell a few minutes before had threatened to kill B. B. Ball. In the fight a dozen shots were fired, but Cretell was the only one injured.

Cretell was known as a desperate man and feared by all, especially when drunk. He is said to have killed six men. He was well known and highly connected, being related to some of the best known families in this section. He is a nephew of Mrs. J. C. Colson, wife of the late John C. Colson. The affair has caused much excitement here.

NOT AFTER TAYLOR.

Gov. Stane Has Received No Request From Gov. Beckham of Kentucky for His Extradition.

Harrisburg, Pa., June 19.—Gov. Stane has received no request from Gov. Beckham of Kentucky for the extradition of ex-Gov. Taylor, who is a delegate to the republican national convention. Gov. Stane will attend in person, and if a requisition should be received at the executive department in his absence it would hardly be acted upon in his absence. The stories that Taylor's friends have written him asking that extradition papers be issued if a requisition should be made upon him during the Kentucky's stay in Pennsylvania are denied at the executive department.

Still in the Sheriff's Hands.

Frankfort, Ky., June 19.—The state treasurer's office is still in custody of the sheriff by virtue of a writ of possession sent out by Treasurer Hays against former assistant treasurer Long Saturday. Ex-Treasurer Hays has not been heard from, though Mr. Long telegraphed him last week for authority to turn over the office keys. Representatives of Hays, sureties were expected here Monday night.

Special Circuit Secured.

Russellville, Ky., June 19.—The largest woman in Southern Kentucky is dead. She was Miss Dick White, who died at her home near Cave Springs. Miss White weighed 400 pounds, and a special coffin had to be made for her. It was 67 inches long, 30 inches wide and 24 inches deep.

Polioamn Shot Him.

Richmond, Ky., June 19.—Four young men from Posey became intoxicated here, and with drawn revolvers, spread terror around in the vicinity of the L. & N. depot. Price Crews, one of the four, was struck in the back by a bullet from the pistol of Polioamn Herndon Dudley.

Double Killing at a Picnic.

Middleboro, Ky., June 19.—A report just received from Pineville says about a killing at a picnic there. In a row between Chas. P. Purcell and James Bullard, the latter was shot and mortally wounded, and later a young son of Bullard shot and killed Purcell.

Big Statute Arrives.

Louisville, Ky., June 19.—A statue of Thomas Jefferson to adorn the courthouse square arrived. It is a gift from Bernheim Bros., whisky merchants, to the city. Being too large to go through the tunnels on any direct line, it was brought by way of Buffalo.

Shooting at a Church Festival.

Hopkinsville, Ky., June 19.—During a disturbance at a church festival near Pembroke, Chas. Holland was shot in the back and side and fatally wounded. Over 50 shots were fired, and several who escaped were wounded.

No Arrests Made.

Richmond, Ky., June 19.—A school entertainment at Callee's schoolhouse, near Elenton, was broken up by rowdies. "Doc" Vincent was established several times and may die. No arrests were made.

Killed by a Train.

Baker, Ind., June 19.—William Mitchell, aged 30, of Seymour, was accidentally killed here. He attempted to catch an east-bound freight on the B. & O. W. road and stepped directly in front of an approaching passenger train.

David Molton of Ringo's Mills gets a supplemental pension of \$2 per month.

Southern Methodists will observe the first week in July as the Week of Prayer in accordance with the request the bishops.

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RAILWAY MATTERS.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION.

On account of the Republican National Convention at Philadelphia, June 19th this C. and O. will sell round-trip tickets Mayville to Philadelphia at rate of one fare—\$15.50, return limit June 24th, only 75 cents.

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